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j3 J. S. DRUMMOND.

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NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE BETWEEN John Crowther and John Spencer, known as the firm of CROWTHER & SPENCER, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
Mr. John Spencer will collect and settle all accounts for the late firm.
All parties indebted will please call and settle their accounts, and all parties having claims will please hand them in.
JOHN CROWTHER,
JOHN SPENCER.
Witness—Mr. W. Waitt.
Victoria, January 4th, 1866. j5 1w

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE Colony, Abner Hunt Francis holds my Power of Attorney or the collection of all Rents or other debts due me.
M. W. GIBBS.
Victoria, January 4th, 1866. j5

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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE BETWEEN LOUIS ANTHONY and JAMES ANTHONY, known under the name of ANTHONY BROTHERS, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent
Mr L. Anthony will settle and collect all accounts of the late firm
Victoria, December 20 1865
LOUIS ANTHONY,
de20 JAMES ANTHONY.

REMOVAL.

THE OFFICE OF THE QUEEN Charlotte Coal Mining Company, (Limited,) has been removed from Langley street to the City Council Chambers, Broad street.
J. S. WILLIS,
de25 Secretary.

NOTCE.

THE BUSINESS OF THE UNDERsigned will from this date be carried on here and in London under the style and firm of FINDLAY & DURHAM, to whom all outstanding accounts are to be paid.
GEORGE J. FINDLAY.
Victoria, V. I., December 15th, 1865. de16 1m

NOTICE.

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Fort street, four doors above the Bavaria Brewery.
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NOTICE IS RESPECTFULLY GIVEN that the annual subscriptions towards the support of the Royal Hospital are now due, and will together with any other gifts, be gratefully received by A. F. Pemberton, Esq., Treasurer,
E. CRIDGE,
Secretary.
December 8th, 1865. de16

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us, the undersigned, John Bowes Thompson and Charles Edward Richardson, as Hotel Keepers at the Royal Hotel, Esquimalt, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
All debts owing to and due from the Firm to be paid and received respectively by John Bowes Thompson, who will continue the business.
Dated this 12th December, 1865.
JOHN BOWES THOMPSON,
CHARLES EDWARD RICHARDSON
Witness—Robert Bishop, Solicitor, Langley st
de13 1w

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SING LEE does not hold himself responsible for the debts incurred by Chong Hee, proprietor of the Excelsior Restaurant, in Waddington Alley, the said Sing Lee having long since ceased to have any interest in the business, although the said Chong Hee retains the name of the said Sing Lee on his sign-board, for which privilege the sum of $200 was paid for a period of six months, now expired.
SING LEE.
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ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that the co partnership heretofore existing between Merrican Woodward and the undersigned is dissolved, the said Woodward having absconded, and all parties are notified not to trust him on account of the firm
T. J. MENEFEE.
New Westminster, April 10, 1865. no13

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ROBERT PORTER.
South Saanich Hotel.
Victoria, November 28th, 1865. de28

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice for the Colony of Vancouver Island.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Friday, the 29th day of December, 1865.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR ADjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 29th day of December instant, has been duly filed by Hugh Lamont, of Store street, Victoria, Machinist, and he having been duly declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joseph Needham, Esquire, Her Majesty's Chief Justice of the Court of Bankruptcy, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1866 at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, precisely, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose Assignees, and commence the examination of the Bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Daniel Lindsay, of Fort street, Victoria, the Official Assignee, whom he Chief Justice has appointed, and give notice to
MR. JOHN COPLAND,
j3 Solicitor, Bastion street.

NOTICE.

BY DEED DATED THE THIRTIETH day of November, 1865, James Wilcox, of the City of Victoria, Vancouver Island, Hotel Keeper, conveyed all his estate and effects to William Parsons Sayward, Lumber Merchant, and Thomas Patrick, Spirit dealer, both of Victoria, aforesaid, to be applied and administered for the benefit of the creditors of the said James Wilcox, in like manner as if he had been adjudged Bankrupt.
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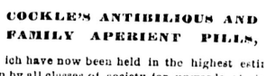

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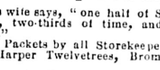

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VICTORIA, 22d December, 1865. de26

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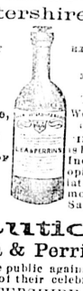

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Oxford Sausages, Patent Preserved Hams, Cheese and Bacon, Yorkshire Game and Pork Pates, Fresh Oysters in Tins, Salmon Cutlets, Whitebait, Fillets of Soles, Bologna Sausages, Herrings a la Sardines, Soups, Meats, and Vegetables in Tins, Fruits in Syrup, also in Noyeau and Brandy, Crystallized Fruits, all of which, as well as many articles too numerous to include in an advertisement, they can strongly recommend. Their Salad Oil is the finest imported.
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MASON & BALLS, IN RETURNING thanks for past favors, beg to announce that they will open their
New Hotel,
THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING
AT SIX O'CLOCK,
And invite all their friends to give them a call.
Families supplied with the choicest Wines and Liquors. ja4
MASON & BALLS,
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MINER'S EXCHANGE
Waddington Alley.
Between Yates and Johnson streets.
T. O'Connor, - - - Proprietor

HAVING LEASED THESE WELL known premises, I am prepared to supply the wants of my customers. None but the
Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars
Dispensed. A Bagatelle Table for the amusement of guests will be found on the premises. ja4
T. O'CONNOR.

Re-Opening.
MINERS EXCHANGE
Restaurant,
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Meals at all Hours.
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The Royal Exchange
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COR. OF FORT AND BROAD STREETS
IS NOW OPEN, WITH A CIRCLE OF eminent Female Attachees. To-night, several fashionable dancers. Every evening, Mirth, Music, Sociality, and Decorum. The Viands are unimpeachable. Music commences at 8 o'clock.
de25 W. W. GIBBS

The 'Grotto,'
GOVERNMENT STREET.

MESSRS. WALLER & CO. HAVING purchased from Mr. T. H. McCann the goodwill, &c., of this establishment, beg to inform their friends and the public that they have purchased a
LARGE STOCK
OF THE FINEST
WINES, LIQUORS!
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And can now guarantee to those who favor them with a call, that nothing but the choicest will be dispensed.
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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Saturday Morning, Jan. 6, 1866.

To Advertisers & the Public

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST, published every morning (sundays excepted), is the largest and most widely circulated journal in Her Majesty's Possessions on the Pacific.

Resident Subscribers may have the same left at their residence at 25 cents per week, by furnishing their address at the Office of Publication.

THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST, published every Tuesday, will be mailed or left at the residence of Subscribers, ready for mailing, at 25 cents per week, payable to the carrier.

JOB PRINTING.

THE BRITISH COLONIST PUBLISHING COMPANY having received a large addition to their stock of new and beautiful jobbing type, will execute orders to any extent with neatness and despatch, at a slight advance on San Francisco prices

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES.

In future all notices of Births, Deaths, and Marriages intended for insertion in this paper must be pre-paid at the following rates: For births and marriages, $1 50; for deaths, $1, with funeral notice $1 50.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS.

The business of the House yesterday was more than usually extensive. We had a host of returns asked from the Government, some of them useful and inexpensive, others unprofitable and costly. We had a committee of three appointed by the Speaker to take charge of the Estimates in order that, in the discussion on the supplies, the time of the House might not be so extravagantly wasted as it was during last session. Hitherto the great want in the Assembly, and one which brought forward the idea of the amalgamation of the Upper and Lower Houses, has been a mouthpiece of the Executive. Items made their appearance in the estimates which were either voted for blindly or expunged without sufficient reason. There was, in fact, no one to throw the slightest information on the financial programme in its detail, and the consequence was that the time of the Assembly was frequently taken up in endless discussions on subjects, which, had there been proper information advanced, need not have occupied the attention of the members for five minutes. The Committee appointed will endeavor to get the fullest information on all matters connected with the estimates as well as with the receipts and disbursements of the public money. The latter it will be absolutely necessary to obtain, if the House is to proceed with any degree of care in a scheme of retrenchment. At present large sums are voted for contingencies, and for matters exclusive of establishments; but the House can form no conception of the amounts really expended, or the sums really necessary. Mr. Duncan's motion yesterday to obtain these particulars with other information from the Executive was a very desirable one in the abstract; but it was thought that the expense and delays which would be entailed by a direct application to the Executive would be saved by the appointment of a committee who would obtain personally all necessary information from the various departments. We feel certain that the Executive will give the committee every facility for obtaining this desired information, and thus avoid the necessity of the calling for elaborate returns by the House.

The reciprocity resolution, introduced by Dr. Powell, brought on a somewhat lengthy discussion; but the House was unanimous in favor of the principle, and the resolution was carried. It was carried, however, more as a matter of form, simply showing that the House sustained its former position, than as a means to accomplish any particular result. All the action which could be taken on the subject has been taken on it, and we merely now await the determination of Congress. What that determination will be a few months will decide; but we can neither hasten nor affect the action of the politicians at Washington. The British Minister has got his instructions long since to use every means to obtain a reciprocal treaty with the North American colonies, and our fate hangs on that result. If the treaty is refused then our application falls to the ground, and we shall have to wait on union of the colonies, before we of the Pacific can reasonably contend for reciprocity with our California and Oregon neighbors. We do not think, however, it will come to this. We believe we shall have a treaty; but we hope that it will be a treaty that will prove in all respects beneficial to the productive interests of the colony.

Harewood Railway Company, Limited.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Harewood Railway Company (Limited), have applied to the Legislature of the Colony of Vancouver Island for an Act to extend the time limited by the "Harewood Railway Company Act, 1864," for the completion of the works, for one year. The petition has been duly filed with the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, and the Clerk of the Legislative Council.

PEARKES & GREEN,
Agents for the Harewood Railway Company, (Limited) j6

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Adam Watson and David Edwards, trading under the name of WATSON & EDWARDS, corner Yates and Douglas streets, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

D. Edwards will continue the business, assume all liabilities and debts contracted by the late firm, and collect all accounts.

A. WATSON,
D. EDWARDS.

All persons indebted to the late firm will please call and settle, otherwise their accounts will be placed in the hands of a solicitor for collection.

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NOTICE.

BY DEED DATED THE FIFTH DAY OF January, 1866, Jules David, of the City of Victoria, V. I., Merchant, conveyed all his estate and effects to Ermenegildo Francini, of Victoria, aforesaid, Merchant, to be applied and administered for the benefit of the creditors of the said Jules David, in like manner as if he had been adjudged a Bankrupt.

Dated 5th January, 1866.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
j6 Solicitors, Government street.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL

RE-OPENS ON MONDAY, THE 15th INST.
CHAS. T. WOODS, M. A.,
Principal.
Victoria, V. I., Jan. 4th, 1866. j6

NOTICE.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT A DEED OF assignment, dated 5th January, 1866, executed by Jules David to Ermenegildo Francini, as Trustee for the benefit of the said Jules David's creditors, was this day filed in the Supreme Court for registration, by Messrs. Drake & Jackson, at the hour of six o'clock p. m.

RICHARD WOODS,
16 Acting Registrar.

GENERAL ABSTRACT,

Showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia within the Colony of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, taken from the several Weekly Statements for the Quarter ending the 30th December, 1865.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation	$ 212 019	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver,	$ 168 748 63
Balances due to other Banks		Gold and Silver Bullion	18,773 89
and Branches	67,997 54	Landed and other Property	31,603 63
Deposits not bearing interest	$ 92,073 42	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	389,463 30
" bearing interest	45,126 48 — 137,199 90	All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	862,414 30
Total amount of Liabilities	$ 417,216 44	Total amount of Assets	$1,500,993 15

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th Dec'r, 1865, $ 1,250,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders, 10 per ct per annum
Amount of last dividend declared, $ 46 875
Amount of reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend $118,615

D. M. LANG, Manager.
WM. C. WARD, Accountant,

VICTORIA, V. I., 30th December, 1865.

I, David Marshall Lang, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Colony of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

D. M. LANG, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, V. I., this 3d day of January, 1866.
A. F. PEMBERTON, Stipendiary Magistrate.
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COKE!

THE PRICE OF COKE REDUCED
From One Dollar to
50 Cents per Barrel.
for sale at the GAS WORKS. ja6

FRENCH and SPANISH.

MONS. B. DEFFIS, GRADUATE of the Academie de Paris, Professor of Languages, has opened Classes in French and Spanish. Mons. Deffis has had a good deal of experience in teaching; his mode of tuition being easy and effective, will be found to give satisfaction. Having lived in various parts of Mexico, including the Metropolis Mazatlan, &c., and being more especially a Professor of the Spanish Language, he is enabled to instruct in a very short time persons intending to proceed to Mexico, in the Spanish language, by which they will be enabled to speak it fluently.

Address—Langley street, next door to the COLONIST Office.

Victoria, V. I., December 5, 1865. ja6

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A RARE CHANCE FOR INVESTMENT.

THE PROPERTY ON YATES STREET, known as the

BALL COURT HOTEL,

With Lot, 60x120. Also, five acres of Land under cultivation, containing about 500 Fruit Trees, situated over the second Esquimalt bridge, on the Craigflower road, will be sold cheap if early application be made to the proprietor, who is desirous of leaving the colony, and from whom further particulars can be obtained.

P. BUCKLEY,
Ja6 1m Ball Court Hotel, Yates street

DANIEL SCOTT & CO.

AUCTIONEERS,
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VICTORIA, V. I.

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Blank Books; Memorandum and Pass Books; Penny's Metalic Mems; Faber's Lead Pencils; Arnold's Writing Fluid, Faber's Drawing Pencils; Arnold's Copying Ink; Faber's Creta Levis; Arnold's Carmine; Rodger's Pocket Cutlery and Scissors; Windsor & Newton's Water and Oil Colors; Mann's Press Copying Books; Scrap Books; Rockwell's Invoice and Letter Files; Exhibition Prize Wax; Whatmas' Drawing Paper; Tracing Paper and Cloth; Endless and Mounted Drawing Paper; Great Mogul Playing Cards; Bristol Board; Printing and Wrapping Paper; Tissue and Fancy Papers; Blotting Paper.

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—EX—
STEAMER ACTIVE.

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED A SPLENDID assortment of

French Fancy Candies!

With rich Pouches, for New Year's Gifts.

ja30 G. SANDRIE.

WANTED.

A BOY TO WAIT AT TABLE AND make himself generally useful.
Apply to
MRS. THOMAS,
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IRON AND BRASS
Founders and Machinists
Albion Iron Works,
VICTORIA, V. I de9

G. W. COOL,

DENTIST,

HAS RETURNED TO VICTORIA, and respectfully offers his professional services to the citizens of this place for a short time, and those who want first class work done, may do well to give him a call immediately.

Work done at New York Prices.

Office at the St. Nicholas Hotel, Room No. 3, adjoining the parlor de15

AUCTION.

THIS DAY,

Saturday, Jan. 6th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M,

We are instructed to sell,

AT OUR ROOMS,

Fort Street, near Wharf,

An assortment of

Hardware!

—INCLUDING—

Planes, Saws, Chisels, Axes, Shovels, Tea Kettles, Oval Pots, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

Crockeryware.

—ALSO,—

1 Chaff Cutting Machine.

—ALSO,—

1 Sewing Machine.

—ALSO,—

1 Williams' Patent Washing Machine;
1 " " Wringing "
1 " " Mangle.

Etc., Etc. Etc.

Daniel Scott & Co.
j4 Auctioneers

NOTICE.

Real Estate Assessment.

ALL PERSONS, OWNERS OF REAL Estate in any Electoral District, are requested to make a statement in writing, according to the Form A, hereunto annexed, of what Real Estate they hold, and where situated; to describe such Real Estate, giving the admeasurements thereof; and to deliver such statement at the Office of the Assessor of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies on or before the First day of February next.

CHARLES G. WYLLY,
Assessor.
Victoria, V. I., January 1st, 1866. j1 1it

SCHEDULE A.

Owner's Name	Place of Residence	Description of Property and where situated, Town or District	Admeasurements No of block or Section	Admeasurements No of Lot

The Annual Registration of Voters' Act, 1860.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ALL persons entitled to vote for the Election of Members to serve in the House of Assembly, in respect of property or other qualification within the Electoral Districts of

City of Victoria,
Victoria County,
Esquimalt and Metchosin County,
Esquimalt Town,
Lake,
Saanich,
Saltspring Island, including the Settlement of Chemainis,
Nanaimo,
Sooke,

Whose names are not in the list of Voters now in force for such District or whose qualifications are different from those on which they appear on such list, are hereby required to deliver or transmit to me at the Sheriff's Office, Victoria, on or before the Fourteenth day of January, A.D. 1866, a claim in writing containing their Christian name and surname at full length, their place of abode, the nature of their qualification, the name of the street, town, or other like place, wherein the property in respect of which they claim to vote is situated; and each of such claimants must at the same time pay to me the sum of four shillings and two pence, and all such persons omitting so to deliver or transmit their claim, or make such payment will be excluded from the List of Voters for said Electoral District.

WM. B. NAYLOR,
Sheriff of Vancouver Island.
Sheriff's Office,
Victoria, 30th December, 1865 j1

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING leased the premises lately occupied by the late

Messrs. Thomas Pattrick & Co.,

Corner of Government and Johnson streets,

WILL RE-OPEN

The above establishment

On Saturday, the 30th instant,

And hopes by the usual attention to business, will merit the liberal patronage which has usually been bestowed.

JAMES R. ROBERTSON,
Late Manager of the late Thomas Pattrick & Co. de27

Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Company (Limited.)

Notice of General Meeting.

THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF Shareholders of this Company will be held in the CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, Broad Street, at One o'clock sharp on second Monday, January 8th, 1866, at which a Statement of the affairs of the Company will be laid before the Shareholders

J. S. WILLIS, Secretary.
Broad Street, Cor. Trounce Street,
Dec. 30th, 1865. j1

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

EBERHARDTS HOTEL.

THE ADVERTISEMENT THAT APpeared in the VANCOUVER POST on Tuesday evening, 2nd January inst., and in the Colonist of the 1st January inst., signed by Mr. John Copland, on behalf of Isaac Humphrey, having been withdrawn by him, notice is hereby given, that the undersigned will receive tenders for the purchase of the Lease, House, Goodwill, Stock, Furniture and Fixtures of the above-named well known Hotel & Restaurant, up to Saturday, the 6th instant.

JOHN VOGEL,
ISADORE BRAVERMAN.
Pearkes & Green,
Solicitors to the Assignees j4

NOTICE.

BY DEED DATED THE 29th DAY OF December, 1865, George Joseph Dasch and Mathias Becker, of Eberhardt's Hotel, Langley Street, Victoria, Vancouver Island, Hotelkeepers, conveyed all their estate and effects to John Vogel, Baker, and Isadore Braverman, Tobacconist, both of Victoria, aforesaid, to be applied and administered for the benefit of the creditors of the said George Joseph Dasch and Mathias Becker, in like manner as if they had been adjudged Bankrupt.

PEARKES & GREEN,
Solicitors,
Government street,
d31 Victoria, V. I.

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice Vancouver Island.

In the matter of the assignment of George Joseph Dasch and Mathias Becker.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT A DEED OF assignment, bearing date the 29th day of December, 1865, made by George Dasch and Mathias Becker, purporting to convey all their estate and effects to John Vogel and Isadore Braverman, for the benefit of the creditors of the said George Joseph Dasch and Mathias Becker, was filed in this Court at the hour of 12 o'clock at Noon this day.

Dated this Thirtieth day of December, 1865.

RICHARD WOODS,
d31 Acting Registrar.

NOTICE

IF THE GENTLEMEN WHO ENTERED my office by breaking through the window, on Yates street, on Sunday evening, between the hours of six and nine o'clock, and removed a small iron safe, with its contents, to parts unknown, would be kind enough to leave the papers they found therein, or any of them, where I or any of my friends may find them, I assure them no questions will be asked. The papers are of no use except to the owner, as I have taken certain precautions. By complying with this request they will greatly oblige

j3 J. S. DRUMMOND.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN John Crowther and John Spencer, known as the firm of CROWTHER & SPENCER, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. John Spencer will collect and settle all accounts for the late firm.

All parties indebted will please call and settle their accounts, and all parties having claims will please hand them in.

JOHN CROWTHER,
JOHN SPENCER.

Witness—Mr. W. Waitt.
Victoria, January 4th, 1866. j5 1w

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE Colony, Abner Hunt Francis holds my Power of Attorney for the collection of all Rents or other debts due me.

M. W. GIBBS.
Victoria, January 4th, 1866. j5

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN LOUIS ANTHONY and JAMES ANTHONY, known under the name of ANTHONY BROTHERS, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. L. Anthony will settle and collect all accounts of the late firm

Victoria, December 20, 1865
LOUIS ANTHONY.
de29 JAMES ANTHONY.

REMOVAL.

THE OFFICE OF THE QUEEN Charlotte Coal Mining Company, (Limited,) has been removed from Langley street to the City Council Chambers, Broad street.

J. S. WILLIS,
de25 Secretary.

NOTCE.

THE BUSINESS OF THE UNDERsigned will from this date be carried on here and in London under the style and firm of FINDLAY & DURHAM, to whom all outstanding accounts are to be paid.

GEORGE J. FINDLAY.
Victoria, V. I., December 15th, 1865. de16 1m

NOTICE.

COMFORTABLE LODGINGS (WITH Board if desired) for two or three gentlemen, at MRS. TODD'S,
Fort street, four doors above the Bavaria Brewery.
Victoria, V. I., Dec. 15, 1865. de16

ROYAL HOSPITAL.

NOTICE IS RESPECTFULLY GIVEN that the annual subscriptions towards the support of the Royal Hospital are now due, and will together with any other gifts, be gratefully received by A. F. Pemberton, Esq., Treasurer,

E. CRIDGE,
Secretary.
December 8th, 1865. de16

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us, the undersigned, John Bowes Thompson and Charles Edward Richardson, as Hotel Keepers at the Royal Hotel, Esquimalt, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts owing to and due from the Firm to be paid and received respectively by John Bowes Thompson, who will continue the business.

Dated this 12th December, 1865.

JOHN BOWES THOMPSON,
CHARLES EDWARD RICHARDSON
Witness—Robert Bishop, Solicitor, Langley st
de15 1w

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SING LEE does not hold himself responsible for the debts incurred by Chong Hee, proprietor of the Excelsior Restaurant, in Waddington Alley, the said Sing Lee having long since ceased to have any interest in the business, although the said Chong Hee retains the name of the said Sing Lee on his sign-board, for which privilege the sum of $200 was paid for a period of six months, now expired.

no30 1w BING LEE.

Dissolution of Partnership.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that the co partnership heretofore existing between Merciam Woodward and the undersigned is dissolved, the said Woodward having absconded, and all parties are notified not to trust him on account of the firm

T. J. MENEFEE.
New Westminster, April 10, 1865. no13

LOST.

A SMALL BLACK AND TAN Terrier Dog, on the Cadboro Bay road. Answers to the name of "Luke." Any one detaining said dog after this notice will be prosecuted.

Any one untying him (if tied up) will receive the owner's best thanks, as he is sure to come home. He will not kill rats or any vermin. oct7

Victoria Prices' Current

—AND—

SHIPPING LIST.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE VICtoria PRICES' CURRENT respectfully inform the Merchants of Victoria that in future this periodical will be conducted by DANIEL LINDSAY, Esq., Accountant, Fort Street, and trust that under his management it will continue to receive the patronage of Merchants and Dealers generally.

VICTORIA, 22d December, 1865. de23

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

White Horse HOTEL,

Cor. of Humboldt and McClure streets.

MASON & BALLS, IN RETURNING thanks for past favors, beg to announce that they will open their

New Hotel,

THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING

AT SIX O'CLOCK,

And invite all their friends to give them a call.

Families supplied with the choicest Wines and Liquors.

ja4 MASON & BALLS.
Proprietors

MINER'S EXCHANGE

Waddington Alley.

Between Yates and Johnson streets.

T. O'Connor, - - - Proprietor

HAVING LEASED THESE WELL known premises, I am prepared to supply the wants of my customers. None but the

Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars

Dispensed. A Bagatelle Table for the amusement of guests will be found on the premises. ja4

T. O'CONNOR.

Re-Opening.

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Restaurant,

Waddington Alley, between Yates & Johnson Sts.,

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Meals at all Hours.

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IS NOW OPEN, WITH A CIRCLE OF eminent Female Attachees. To-night, several fashionable dances. Every evening, Mirth, Music, Sociality, and Decorum. The Viands are unimpeachable. Music commences at 8 o'clock.

de25 W. W. GIBBS

The 'Grotto,'

GOVERNMENT STREET,

MESSRS. WALLER & CO. HAVING purchased from Mr. T. H. McCann the goodwill, &c., of this establishment, beg to inform their friends and the public that they have purchased a

LARGE STOCK
OF THE FINEST
WINES, LIQUORS!
AND CIGARS,

And can now guarantee to those who favor them with a call, that nothing but the choicest will be dispensed.

They are also prepared to supply families and others with first class Wines and Liquors by the bottle, at REDUCED PRICES.

"GUS," late of the Brown Jug, being in charge is a guarantee that all who patronize the establishment will receive every attention. de16

Bull's Head TAVERN.

YATES STREET.

H. HENLEY, FROM CLOVER Point, begs to inform his numerous friends and the public generally, that he will open the above establishment with a choice selection of WINES, SPIRITS, CIGARS, &c., and he trusts that by keeping a first-class article, and carefully studying the wants of his customers, to merit a share of public patronage.

H. H. begs to state that his

HOUSE WILL OPEN

AT 6 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

On Saturday, 16th instant,

When he will give a welcome to all comers. de15

THE LION BREWERY TAP.

The undersigned having taken the Lion Brewery Tap, begs to notify his friends and the public generally that they will find at his Bar

The Best of Wines

—AND—

LIQUORS,

And the most unremitting attention.

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AND
QUOIT GROUND.

de12 1m WM. BENTLEY

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Excellent Duets for Piano & Violin

will be found in the "Union Collection." Price, 75 cents. both of the above are published by OLIVER DITSON & CO., 277 Washington street, Boston.

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RANDALL CÆSAR,

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AND BARBER SHOP,

From Government to Yates street,

Next door to Hibben & Carswell's, where he will serve his numerous customers in the most scientific and finished style.

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Auctioneer and Commission Merchant

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No. 6, Commercial Row, Wharf street de13

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the office of the Works, on MONDAY, 8th January, 1866, at twelve o'clock, M.

C. W. R. THOMSON,
j3 Secretary.

VICTORIA Rifle Volunteer Corps.

GENERAL ORDERS

THE USUAL DRILLS OF THE CORPS are postponed during the holidays. No. 1 Company will parade on Monday, 8th January, 1866, at 8 p. m.: No. 2 Company on Tuesday, 9th January, at 8 p. m.

By order,

J. GORDON VINTER,
de12 Lieut. and Adjutant.

Blood, Wolfe & Co.'s PORTER!

(QUARTS),

IN SPLENDID ORDER,

$2 75 PER DOZEN!

—AT—

EDWD. R. THOMAS',

Bee Hive, Fort Street.

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Christmas!! Christmas!!

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JAMES SHERIDAN,

Pianoforte Tuner & Repairer.

ORDERS FOR TUNING AND REpairing received at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s Book and Music Store, Government street, opposite the Bank of British Columbia. de29

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WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
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Draw the attention of Druggists, Chemists, and Storekeepers, to their Old-Established House, as Shippers and Manufacturers of

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Lozenges, Confectionery, Patent Medicines, Medicine Chests, Surgical Instruments, Medical Glass, and every article connected with the Drug Trade.

Orders confided to their care will be executed with scrupulous attention and quick despatch.

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Parties Indenting through Agents are requested to give decided instructions that their orders are placed in the hands of

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AND RENOVATING!

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—AND—

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REAL ESTATE AGENT, HOUSE FACTOR, ACCOUNTS COLLECTED, LOANS NEGOTIATED, AND A GENERAL AGENCY BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

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G. M. SPROAT, Esq., Anderson & Co.; JOHN ROBERTSON STEWART, Esq.; E. GRANOINI, Esq.; JOHN WRIGHT, Esq.; JAMES CARSWELL, Esq.

Settlements made every Tuesday.

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All necessary information can be obtained at our office, Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

de15 LOWE BROTHERS.

FRUIT TREES!

Seeds & Country Produce

J. BEGG & CO.,

ON OR ABOUT THE 15th INSTANT, will open for the fall trade, at their new premises, near the corner of Fort and Government streets adjoining the Globe Hotel, when they will offer for sale

16,000

Island Grown Fruit Trees!

Warranted superior to anything imported. The trees will be found to consist of all the best kinds in cultivation. All kinds of Nursery stock will be kept constantly on hand.

J. Begg & Co. will receive and sell on a small commission Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Grain, Potatoes, Vegetables, and all other kinds of Farm Produce.

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Public Notice.

Steam Communication with San Francisco.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.
COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
19th December, 1865.

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO "THE Colonial Secretary" will be received at this office until Friday, the 12th day of January, 1866, for the service of direct steam communication, including conveyance of Mails, between San Francisco and the undermentioned places, for a period of six months, and also for a period of twelve months:

For two direct trips in each month between San Francisco and Victoria and back.

For three direct trips do. do.

For two direct trips in each month between San Francisco and Victoria and New Westminster and back, running to Victoria and New Westminster alternately.

For three direct trips do. do,

For two direct trips in each month between San Francisco and New Westminster and back, calling at Victoria both going and returning.

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The maximum rates proposed to be charged for freight and passengers, the names of the vessels proposed to be employed in the service, and the proposed dates of arrival and departure from the different ports are to be stated. The names of two responsible persons must also be given, who are willing to become surety to the extent of Five Thousand Dollars for the due performance of the service.

The service is to commence about the beginning of February, but not later than the 15th of February.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG,
de20 Colonial Secretary.

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FROM

Island Barley!

AND

Island Hops!

IN

Island Casks!

BUNSTER.

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NORTH PACIFIC TIMES

AND

Columbia Mining News,

MERCHANTS, TRADESMEN AND others desirous of advertising in the above newspaper; will please apply to the undersigned, who is the duly authorized agent in this city of Mr George Wallace, the Proprietor.

B. DEFFIS.
OFFICE—Langley street, next COLONIST office. j3

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Spring Vale Sawmill.

THIS MILL IS SITUATED AT THE entrance of Esquimalt Harbor, about six miles from Victoria, and in a locality where there is abundance of

PINE, CEDAR AND SPRUCE LUMBER.

The saws are driven by two water-wheels of about 20 to 25 horse-power each. The building is one hundred feet long, and has three floors, giving abundant space for carrying on the work of a Door and Sash Factory, or any other that a tenant might find profitable.

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N. B.—Orders will be received for cargoes of timber suitable for Piles or Spars for Masts or Yards, delivered in Esquimalt Harbor. ja4

TO LET.

A FIREPROOF STORE ON Wharf street.
Apply to
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A FURNISHED HOUSE, WITHIN ten minutes walk of Government street, containing six rooms and a kitchen, with stable and outhouses; also, a well of good water on the premises.

The owner will board with the family if desirable. Address, "J. D." COLONIST Office. de14

For Sale or Lease.

Those premises known as the

"ROYAL HOTEL,"

Situated in

Haliburton street, Nanaimo,

AT PRESENT IN THE OCCUPATION of Messrs. Peck and Sabiston, and doing a large and rapidly increasing business.

The GOODWILL, STOCK, BAR FIXTURES, FURNITURE, &c., will be disposed of on reasonable terms.

The position of the Hotel renders it easy of access from all parts of the town, and for beauty of site it is unrivalled in the colony.

That portion of the building for the accommodation of Families is now completed, and will compare favorably in point of comfort with the Family Hotels of Victoria and San Francisco. The Royal contains fifty large and well-ventilated Bedrooms, besides several spacious Dining and Sitting rooms.

To capitalists, a more desirable and safe investment could scarcely be offered, and as the town is rapidly extending in that direction, the amount of business transacted will go on steadily increasing.

For terms, apply to MESSRS. PECK & SABISTON,
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Curling's Purified **COD LIVER OIL**; the best quality prepared.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A complete stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Saturday Morning, Jan. 6, 1866.

COMMERCIAL

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

DANIEL SCOTT & CO. will sell, at 11 o'clock a.m., at their rooms, Fort street, near Wharf, an assortment of Hardware and Crockeryware, also one Chaff Cutting Machine and one Sewing Machine; and one Williams' patent Washing Machine, one do. Wringing do., one do. Mangle, &c.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

January 5—Sloop Ringleader, Harper, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

January 4—Stmr Diana, Wright, Port Angelos
January 5—Schr Black Diamond, McCulloch, Nanaimo
Sloop Ocean Queen, Watkins, Cowichan

Good News from Big Bend;

MINES RICH AND EXTENSIVE.

Advice from a Prospector.

The following highly gratifying letter written in the German language, and kindly translated for us by Messrs. Piper & Alisky, has been received from a thoroughly reliable source, the writer being an intelligent and most trustworthy man who has just returned from the Big Bend country, and is so fully impressed with the richness and extent of the mines that he is anxious to see all his friends participate in the good things in store for those who will visit the country in the Spring. It will be seen that his party will leave as early as the first week in March. If this news does not bring the Germans up from California we do not know what will.

LYTTON, Dec. 21, 1865.

I hereby inform you concerning my journey to Big Bend, where I have prospected for two months on French Creek and found good prospects. I will stay here during the winter, where we have come to kill time, and build a boat to cross the Shuswap Lake with about 300 lbs. of provisions for the mines. From there we intend to proceed with sleighs across the divide to the Columbia River. We have to go twenty miles up the Columbia River and ten miles from there to French Creek.

The diggings are *the best I ever prospected*, and every one that was there says the same. It is a very large mining district with many creeks. In four different creeks very good prospects were found. If you want to try your luck again in the mines—come. I think *the mines are far richer than Cariboo ever was.* There were about 100 men in the mines who could prospect but little, as there were no provisions and the miners had to live partly upon berries and fish. Give my best respects to my friends, —— ——, and tell them to come up here, if they want to try their luck in the new diggings. If you want to come buy your crop at Fort Yale and send it to Cook's Ferry, from there we will take it in our boat. About 400 lbs. of provisions to the miner is sufficient. Crowbars and sledge hammers are very necessary. There is neither grub nor tools in the mines. Don't neglect to be here by 1st March. Those who come first will have the best chance to secure good claims, provided they have provisions enough. Let me know as soon as possible if you are coming or not.

HENRY HOGEN.

LOGICAL DEDUCTION—Yesterday, during the trial of an Indian for the murder in the Ravine, an Indian youth who was in the witness-box stated that one of the companions of the deceased, on the evening of the tragedy, was a boy named Jimmy, who was about three or four feet high and about twenty years of age. The incongruity in this statement would of course strike the mind of any intelligent juror, and the foreman (Mr. H. Gillard) desired the Court to ask the witness how he could account for a boy twenty years of age being so small? when the witness with more than ordinary cuteness naively replied, through the interpreter, that he supposed that "it was because the lad had been very *slow in growing.*" The answer elicited much merriment, and His Honor smilingly told the foreman that he considered the reason a very natural one.

FROM NANAIMO—H. M. S. Sparrowhawk arrived in Esquimalt yesterday morning from Nanaimo. She left at 6:30 a.m., and met the Sir James Douglas, which had started previously with the mails, returning to port from stress of weather. The Sparrowhawk was instructed to convey certain prisoners to New Westminster, but was unable to reach her destination. She returned to Nanaimo and transferred the prisoners to the Forward. They were subsequently landed at Burrard's Inlet and conveyed overland by the old trail. The Sir James Douglas may be expected down to-day. The Ta Lee would probably leave to day.

THEATRICAL—The members of the Mechanics' Institute propose giving a theatrical entertainment on behalf of the funds of the institution shortly, the pieces to be presented being "Rob Roy" and a burlesque or farce. The Union Hook and Ladder Company also intend giving a histrionic entertainment in aid of the funds of their institution.

NEW IDEA—There was another good house at this place of entertainment last night, and the various performances, particularly the concluding portion including Handy Andy, by Lafont and Pearson, Irish jig by Little Nell, and the Black Statue by Marsh, Lafont, Pearson and Jenny Arnot afforded much amusement.

TOOK HIS SEAT.—Mr. Thomas Cunningham, M.L.A. for Nanaimo, was introduced to the House of Assembly yesterday by Mr. DeCosmos, the senior city member, and having taken the oaths was directed to a seat on the left hand of Mr. DeCosmos.

DISCHARGED. — James Berry, the man charged with stealing a breast pin from a squaw, and Jim, the Indian charged with helping himself to the contents of Mr. Kaufman's hen roost, were both released yesterday from custody.

RAFFLES.—A splendid piano by Steinway, one of the finest instruments in the colony, will be raffled at the Alhambra this evening, and a number of splendid ambrotypes of celebrated engravings will also be raffled for at the Grotto at 8 o'clock.

RELIEF.—Much sympathy is felt for the family of the unfortunate man Maurice Carey, who was yesterday sentenced to five years penal servitude, and we understand that a movement is on foot to raise subscriptions for their relief.

ACQUITTED.—John Livermore, charged with whiskey selling, was acquitted yesterday in the Police Court through some discrepancy in the evidence.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise left yesterday morning with passengers and freight for New Westminster.

ENQUIRER'S letter respecting the decision on the Arson case is held over.

THE STEAMER ACTIVE is now overdue from Portland.

THE ASSIZES.

Second Day.

[BEFORE CHIEF JUSTICE NEEDHAM]

His Honor took his seat at the usual hour. The Court was crowded, as it was supposed that a statement was to be made by the prisoner Carey, convicted of arson, before sentence was passed.

MURDER AT COMOX.

Regina vs. Dick, an Indian.—Prisoner was arraigned for the murder of an old Indian, named Wa-kee-los, at Comox. The particulars of this case have before been published.

A jury was sworn, with Mr. H. Gillard as foreman.

Mr. Bishop, at the desire of the Court, gratuitously undertook the defence, and on application counsel was assigned him, and Mr. Ring generously accepted the task.

Mr. McKay, H. B. Company, acted as interpreter.

The Attorney General having opened his case, called two Indian witnesses, one of whom was the constable who arrested the prisoner and brought him to Nanaimo.

After a patient trial, his lordship read a portion of his notes to the jury and explained to them the points they had to consider in rendering their verdict, regardless of what the consequences might be.

The jury, after a short consultation, brought in a verdict of GUILTY, with a recommendation to mercy.

The judge said he should take care that the recommendation was forwarded to the proper quarter, where it would no doubt receive every consideration. He then assumed the black cap, and the prisoner being asked what he had to say why the sentence of the Court should not be pronounced, replied:

"That the old man had taken his brother-in-law's life, and he was afraid he would take his, so he shot him. He was urged to do it by his friends."

His lordship then caused the prisoner to understand that it was his duty to pass sentence of death upon him, but that the recommendation of the jury would be the means of saving the prisoner's life, and he would be imprisoned at the pleasure of her Majesty.

THE ARSON CASE.

Maurice Carey appeared in the dock for sentence.

On being asked by the Registrar if he had anything to say,

The prisoner replied that he had much to say why sentence should not be passed upon him. He hoped to convince the court and gentlemen engaged against him that he was innocent, but by the advice of his counsel he had placed the matter in the hands of the authorities.

His Lordship then addressed the prisoner as follows:—Prisoner at the bar: after all that two earnest and able Counsel could say in your favor, and after the anxious and careful consideration of your case by the jury, you have been found guilty of the crime of arson —a verdict I am bound to say in which I entirely concur. No reasonable mind which has listened to the evidence can entertain the slightest doubt of your guilt. There is no doubt whatever, that either to repair your broken fortunes or from some other motives, you conceived the scheme of burning down your premises and thus defrauding the Insurance Company, — a purpose you nearly effected, regardless of the destruction you might bring on your fellow citizens, and it is to be hoped without full thought of the peril to which you exposed them. The object of your punishment has no relation to the person, but to deter others and to secure the safety of society, and your punishment is to be mitigated or increased by the nature of the offence and the degree of dread imposed on society by the action. In a city like this, built almost wholly of wood, the peril was most serious. I should be abandoning my duty if I did not make an example of you, to deter others from crime, and create a sense of security of life and property. Nothing has been urged in mitigation of your offence, but I myself have made some inquiries, and find from the police that you have hitherto borne a fair character. That will have some influence in your favor, but I cannot allow it to have much weight, lest in being too lenient to you I might endanger society. Under these circumstances however, the Court will pass a less severe sentence than it is empowered to do. Had there been anyone burnt in the house you would have lost your life. As it is, the highest punishment for your offence is penal servitude for life, but I am able to inflict a less severe sentence. The sentence of the Court is that you be confined in penal servitude for five years.

The prisoner received the sentence without displaying emotion.

THE POLICE CASE.

McPherson vs. John Eagin—ASSAULT.—This charge, it will be remembered, arose out of the recent extraordinary conduct of a policeman who, while on duty, forcibly entered a dwelling house on Fort street, and roughly assailed the prosecutor with his baton.

Mr. McCreight, instructed by Mr. Courtney, appeared for the accused.

Mr. McCreight applied to the court before Eagin was arraigned to allow the accused to effect a compromise, the Attorney General, prosecutor and witnesses consenting. The case was one of common assault and the law sanctioned such a course. The improper conduct of the accused had been already severely punished by the stoppage of his pay and dismissal from the force. Mr. McCreight urged in extenuation of the circumstance that the night was very cold and Eagin had been taking a glass with a friend in a private house. The sudden transition from a warm to a cold room seemed to have affected his head in a manner that was rather indicative of sober than intemperate habits, and Eagin bore a very good character in the force.

The Attorney General, in answer to the Court, said that he had no desire to press the case if the prosecutor and witnesses were willing to accept a compromise, but the police magistrate had deemed the case sufficiently serious to send it up to a higher court.

His lordship said the magistrate had exercised a wise discretion in sending the case up for trial. He had read the depositions and knew the nature of the offence, which was a peculiar one, and to use the character of a policeman, charged with preserving the public peace, for breaking it in any way, was calculated to bring the force into contempt. He entertained great doubts whether the court under the circumstances ought to sanction a compromise, and ought not to suffer the case to proceed in the ordinary way. Felony could not be compromised; some misdemeanors might. As the case was put before him, however, bearing in mind the good character borne by the prisoner, the punishment he had already sustained and the other circumstances advanced, the court was willing that the prisoner should be allowed to compromise, and he was therefore discharged.

THE RAVINE MURDER.

Regina vs. Jim alias Ah-Claxta—Murder. This Indian who belongs to Thompson River, was arraigned on an indictment charging him with the wilful murder of Charley, another Thompson River Indian, in a cellar bordering on the ravine.

The charge was preferred in consequence of the verdict found by the jury at the Coroner's inquest.

Mr. Ring, without the aid of a solicitor, gratuitously defended the prisoner by direction of the Court.

Some delay took place owing to there being no interpreter.

His Honor commented upon the delay to the public business occasioned by his orders not being complied with in respect to providing interpreters to assist the Court and apologised to the jury for the trespass on their patience. His Honor thought the business might be got through with the exception of the case for embezzlement.

One of the jurors (Mr. Fawcett) asked whether they would have to serve again the next day.

His Honor—I am afraid you are too intelligent gentlemen to part with. (Laughter.)

Another juror (Mr. Daniel)—My Lord, this is my second day.

His Honor—We will see what we can do for you, Sir. (Laughter.)

The Attorney General opened the case on behalf of the Crown, briefly and fairly stating the nature of the evidence he should be able to adduce, with the weak points it would contain,

Messrs. Bagnall and Hurd here informed His Lordship that they had been on the Coroner's jury, and after some discussion with the learned counsel the Judge directed the jury to retain their seats and to make their minds a blank sheet of paper ready for the impressions they would now receive.

Henry Wilmer, sworn—Am Sergeant of Police. The Indian Charley is dead. I saw his dead body on a Friday morning about the 9th or 10th December in a partially burnt unoccupied house on Johnson street; it was a cellar under the level of the ground; the head had been nearly severed from the body and there were various other wounds; the wound on the neck to the best of my judgment was a cut; the other wounds were made with blunt instruments; took prisoner into custody on same day; spoke to him in Chinook and gave him the usual caution, which he said he understood; I questioned him as to the clothes he had worn on the preceding night; he said he wore the same clothes he then had on; he denied having had on a white shirt, but had the previous day taken a dirty white shirt to a Chinaman to wash; he said he had on the same pants the previous day; he had only one other pair much torn; on the same day I received a white shirt marked with blood from a baker named Monk; it was covered about the neck with blood, and I noticed a few days ago that there was a puncture in the neck of the shirt. (Shirt produced and puncture shown.) Examined the prisoner's neck; there is a small cut corresponding with the cut in the shirt.

Cross-examined by Mr. Ring—I told him after I took him into custody that he was a necessary witness. He was charged the same evening with murder. I did not tell him there was a suspicion attached to him when I questioned him.

George, an Indian boy, sworn—Recollect Charley now dead; last saw him alive about a month ago with a boy called Jimmy: know the prisoner; last saw him walking with deceased about 7 o'clock in the evening; witness, prisoner, Jimmy and deceased purchased a bottle of rum from a whiteman; they went under a house that had been burnt on Johnson street and drank it; the murdered man fetched another bottle of rum and they drank it up in the same cellar; saw Jim propose to fight Charley and take off his coat, but Charley stood still; they quieted Jim, gave him back his coat and witness went away about 10 o'clock leaving Jim there; he had on grey trowsers, a white shirt and black coat; he was sober; saw no knives or instruments.

Cross-examined by Mr. Ring—The four who were together drank indiscriminately as they wished out of both bottles.

Joseph Dennis, sworn—Am a laborer; remember seeing the prisoner Thursday night; about 6 o'clock he had on a black coat, dark pants and a white shirt; he was sober and went out of Monk's bake house where we worked together; he came to work the next morning about 6:30 in liquor; he had on similar clothes to the night before; the shirt had blood about the collar; he took it off, rolled it up in another shirt; he had a blue shirt underneath; I asked him what he had been doing, he replied "*Halo cumtux*!" he took the shirts away to a Chinaman.

George recalled—By the Court—Charley came up to his (witness's) shoulders; Jimmy was about 20 years old and very short; prisoner was much the tallest of the lot.

By the Jury—Am myself 80 years of age. (Laughter.) (The witness was a youth of about 16)

Mr. McKay, interpreter, informed the jury that the Indians had no idea of their own ages.

Sergeant Ferrall deposed to the boy Jimmy being about 12 years old and small in stature; the deceased was about 16 years of age and about five feet three or four inches in height; the prisoner he thought was about five feet nine or ten inches.

The Court was here kept waiting for a material witness named D'Iereguy.

The Judge expressed indignation at the conduct of the witness and said it was well that witnesses should know their liability for committment for contempt. In a case of life and death like this it was not only a gross violation of public duty in any witness to absent himself when wanted, but it was also unjust and inhuman.

Jose Carlos D'hereguy, sworn—Was on Johnson street on Thursday evening in front of the Royal Hotel tap opposite the burnt building; I heard a noise in the building, hollowing and tumbling like men fighting; the noise stopped suddenly and I saw two Indians emerge from the cellar; it was after nine o'clock; one Indian was short the other about a head taller; the tall one came out first with a piece of candle which he blew out at the head of the stairs; he was dressed in white shirt, dark pants, the short one had on dark clothes; they both started up Johnson street and the tall one fell in front of Dobrin's store; they were laughing and turned down Store street; the tall one was about the same stature as prisoner; the short one about the same as the witness George.

Cross-examined by Mr. Ring—Saw them across the street; it was a dark night.

By the Court—When they passed Dobrin's store, which was lit up I could distinguish their dress and figure, but not sufficient of their faces to describe them; prisoner looks very much like the tall one, but could not swear to him.

This closed the case for the prosecution.

Mr. Ring made an impressive address to the jury, pointing out clearly the want of identity and other doubts in which the charge was enshrouded and urging a merciful view of the case in giving the prisoner the full benefit of the doubt.

His Honor in summing up analysed the whole of the evidence, very carefully pointing out where he considered it strongly bore upon the presumed guilt of the prisoner.

The jury were absent for about half an hour and returned a verdict of NOT GUILTY.

The prisoner was accordingly discharged.

The Court was adjourned until ten o'clock this morning.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

JAN. 5, 1866.

The House met at 1:15 p.m. Members present—The Hon. the Speaker, Messrs. De Cosmos, Powell, Dickson, M'Clure, Dennes, Trimble, Cochrane, Ash, Carswell, and Duncan.

MEMBER FOR NANAIMO.

Mr. DeCosmos formally introduced Mr. Cunningham, the recently elected member for Nanaimo. The customary oaths were administered, and the hon. gentleman took his seat.

LEGAL.

Dr. Dickson gave notice that at the next meeting of the House he would ask leave to introduce a bill to assimilate the laws of England with those of Vancouver Island.

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE.

Mr. Cochrane called attention to an error in the report of his speech with reference to the clerical disqualification of members for the Assembly. He did not mean to concur with the hon. Speaker respecting the alleged domination of the ministers of religion, he wished to convey the impression that they would lose social caste as well as, in some instances, the respect of their flock, by taking an active part in the arena of politics.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Dr. Tolmie (through the Speaker) applied for leave of absence for one month to attend to urgent private business. The application was granted.

FINANCIAL.

Mr. Duncan's motion for a return of the bank notes issued during the year 1865 by the different banking establishments in the colony, and the amount of metallic reserve held against such issue, was put to the House and lost, as an unnecessary expense without adequate results.

MAGISTRATES' RETURNS.

Mr. Duncan in pursuance of notice applied for a return of the number of cases adjudicated upon by the stipendiary magistrates of Sooke and Nanaimo, other than Indian whisky cases, with the amount of the expense in each case. Granted.

LAND SURVEYS.

Mr. Duncan, in pursuance of notice, moved for a return of the land surveyed in Vancouver Island, distinguishing country from town, with dates, owners' names and by whom surveyed, for the year 1865. He said that we had an expensive department whose especial duty it was to manage these affairs, and the public were anxious to know what they did for the money thus voted. As a matter of economy it was as well that we should ascertain whether we could or could not dispense with their services.

The motion was carried:

THE ESTIMATES.

Upon the suggestion of the Speaker, sanctioned by the House, Wednesday next was fixed for the consideration of the Supplies.

THE HAREWOOD RAILWAY.

Mr. DeCosmos, in accordance with notice, proposed to suspend the rules of the House as regards private bills. It was advisable in this case to extend the time for the completion of this contract as originally granted by the Legislature for another year. The company had laid out some $30,000 in prospecting their claim, and it was only fair that an extension of time should be conceded.

Leave was given to introduce the bill.

FRANCHISE ACT.

This bill came up for a third reading.

Mr. McClure moved for a recommittal of the clause with reference to the disqualification of contractors.

Dr. Trimble would like to see several other clauses recommitted. There were several principles involved in the details which he did not agree with.

Dr. Dickson moved for a recommittal of the whole bill.

After a long discussion the recommittal of the whole bill was refused by a vote of 7 to 4.

Ayes—Messrs. Ash, Powell, Dickson and Cochrane.

Noes—Messrs. Cunningham, DeCosmos, Carswell, Dennes, Duncan, Trimble and McClure.

The bill was then recommitted on the points urged by Messrs. McClure and Trimble.

LEGAL.

The bill for amalgamating the professions of Barrister and Attorney was read a third time.

THE ESTIMATES.

Mr. DeCosmos, in pursuance of notice moved that a committee of three be appointed to consider the details of the Estimates. The object of the suggestion was to facilitate the transaction of public business, there being no representative of the Government in the House to give any information touching each item, it would materially help their deliberations to have the assistance of such a committee, whose specific object would be to make themselves acquainted with every particular.

Messrs. DeCosmos, Dickson, and Duncan were ultimately appointed by the Speaker.

RECIPROCITY.

The House then resolved itself into a committee of the whole; Mr. Dennes occupied the chair.

Dr. Powell introduced the topic of reciprocity with the United States. He was of opinion that it was necessary to urge upon the Home Government the propriety of including Vancouver Island in any treaty that may be contemplated. He quoted a number of statistics in support of his views.

Mr. Duncan made an elaborate and eloquent speech, stating that the community were scarcely alive to the importance of the matter. It had remained too long dormant, we ought to look to the development of our industrial pursuits.

Dr. Powell's resolutions were adopted after a lengthened debate, in which Dr. Helmcken, Messrs. DeCosmos and Mr. M'Clure took part. The committee then considered Mr. DeCosmos' motion respecting the issue of Treasury notes, which was reported upon, and the House adjourned until Monday next.

THE CRUISE OF THE CLIO.

Highly Interesting Diary.

[FROM THE NANAIMO GAZETTE]

[Concluded.]

The next day we took in wood enough to bring us to Fort Simpson, and on the following morning started in the face of a heavy north-east gale for Fort Simpson, where we arrived at 1 p.m.; in three minutes after the boats were out and 120 tars and marines were landed, and in an hour or two secured some five or six notorious characters, amongst whom were a chief, charged with retaining a slave contrary to the law of Great Britain; and the wife (aged about 12) of "Sebastopol," and her mother, taken as accomplices of the husband and son-in-law. One very notorious character, well known to be the murderer of Lewis, some four or five years ago in a schooner and also of some four or five Indians within the last two years, and known by the cognomen of Lequon, rather astonished those who were not acquainted with Indian character. As we had hunted some minutes for him in his own house and could not find him, suddenly an apparation appeared in a brown dressed deerskin jacket, red baze trousers, a face all colors of the rainbow, headdress the *caput* of an overgrown doe with the ears sticking out like those of the "grandfather of stupidity." Leaping from an obscure corner, bounding into air, and alighting in the very midst of the marines, something in the style of Pantaloon announcing "Here we are;" but, unfortunately for him he found himself amidst an audience who desired to partake in the play, and before he had time to look round for approval a marine was on each side of him, and after a diligent search of his person, they produced a large *couteau de chase*, while two others had their rifles at the "present" aimed at his head, with orders to shoot if he resisted. Finding resistance in vain, he quietly gave up his knife and went on board with the rest. The Indians throughout seemed to take a very sensible appreciation of the warlike appearance of the big force of British tars and marines and made no resistance. I rested that night with Mr. Moffatt in the Fort, and I am sure all on board will concur with me in saying he left nothing undone to aid in our mission or supply our wants. At about 10 p. m. the whole camp and Fort were quickly aroused by the Clio speaking quietly with those deep bass voices of her's on the drum beating to quarters, which innocent amusement had the salutary effect of making the Indians believe that the shot prepared for them had been withdrawn from the guns and that the powder was discharged in an awe inspiring manner. Next morning we weighed, and bid (I hope) a long farewell to Fort Simpson, and in spite of a heavy south-east gale and thick weather, made our way to the Mission again, when Mr. Duncan had more courts to hold, and convicted the man known as Sebastopol, who bears on his back the marks of the knout, and two or three bullet-holes received under "Old Nic," in the Russian war. At the Mission we took in some 102 cords of wood, payment for which will enrich the Metlakatlahs for some time to come, much to the delight of Mr. Duncan, who cannot be said to be ignorant of the value of dollars and cents—nor his disciples either. Before taking leave of Metlakatlah, I should give some account of it, and really too much cannot be said of the orderly, most cleanly, and decorous behavior of the inhabitants—such a vast difference between it and other places where Indians reside—houses well built, roads equal to the Esquimalt road, the dresses of the inhabitants (I won't call them aborigines) equal to what one might see on Sunday about 10:30 on Douglas street, moving towards the Iron Church. Here we can also see youths and boys amusing themselves with the flypole, while if the eye is turned across the bay the quiet little graveyard meets our view In another direction the pretty little schooner Carolina (her unfortunate Indian captain injured himself just before our arrival and died during our stay there, though in good health when piloting the pinnace to Fort Simpson) lays anchored in a small cove off the village, keeping guard over the Eagle and Nonpareil. In her trim, neat appearance and new paint, one can imagine her moral superiority over her iniquitous companions. Take a walk near the church and you may see the mighty chief of Fort Simpson (Legaic) standing under the porch of his well-built house, ornamented with fancy casing around where the gutters should be, but are not, and also around the eaves. Legaic! why, I remember you myself, some ten years ago, the terrifying murderer of women as well as men, now lamb-led by the affectionate hand of Christianity—a church-going example—an able ally of the Temperance Society (though not having signed the pledge of either the worthy Boatswain or Gunner of the Clio—the reformers of sundry tipsy shipmates). In the centre of the village—it being built in the shape of the letter L—we can see a pretty little mast with its rigging and the proud ensign of England floating from the truck, which was kindly built by and is a memento of the visit of H. M. S. Devastation, surrounded by what will ultimately be the repository of such characters as the masters of the Eagle and Nonpariel or in plainer words the gaol, which is to be surmounted with guns (for salute or protection) commanding the front of both sides of the village. But now comes the building of all others most worthy of note—the residence of Mr. Duncan—equal in style and appearance to any place building in Victoria with its garden in front, its store, and brick chimneys—all the wooden material sawn and planed by Indians; its bright hearth, with table spread with well baked bread and butter, goat's milk, preserved ginger, and other delicacies; it's well-dressed servant girls spreading the table-cloth and other European necessaries—and the future home of the clergyman and lady, the latter expected by next steamer. Behind this building stands the church, with its bell summoning a flock of 300 or 400 quiet persons, slowly issuing from all sides and taking their places on the seats, the men on one side, the women on the other, while the young sat in the centre, and opened the service with singing, worth traveling all the distance to hear. After which all bend the knee, and prayers, both in English and Chimpsean, are offered by Mr. Duncan. After the sermon, all in good English, they say "Good night, sir," and retire. It would occupy too much space to say all I know of the Mission, so without saying further than that it possesses a sandpit, a large garden, a large wooden barricade to prevent the inroads of the sea on its front street, and gardens attached to each house, I must say farewell to Metlakatlah, and wish it all prosperity and welfare; but we must also thank Mr. Duncan for his hospitality and the guard of honor drawn up to receive Capt. Turnour, whom I had the pleasure to accompany.

Next morning, fully bent on being at Nanaimo on Christmas day, we started, and in a dense snow storm steamed away, making our ten knots an hour, till we anchored in Lowe's Inlet for the night. Next morning proceeded early on our way southward, experiencing a very severe northerly gale, but reached Carter's Bay, and found it a good anchorage. Next morning weighed again, and with a fair wind steamed along cheerily, arriving at the entrance to Queen Charlotte's Sound about 3:30 p. m.; ran across, but found it very dark when searching for Bute Passage, but steamed through at full speed, and at 10:30 anchored off Fort Rupert. On landing we found that the steward of Mr. Compton (a Chinaman) had hung himself since our last visit. An Indian from Nawitta had been murdered by the Fort Rupert tribe and his people had reframed from retaliating at the request of Mr. Compton until the arrival of Captain Turnour, to whom they desired to submit their complaint. We also learned from late papers that an Indian seized at Cape Mudge for the Thorndyke murder, had been apprehended, and fortunately the man Frank (an Italian) taken at Kittimat, is a witness against him. The Chinaman accused himself of having committed murder at Cariboo, and said that the ghosts of his victims haunted him continually, and he desired to get a passage down to Victoria by the first chance, which was promised him by Mr. Compton, but he hung himself by the belt in the kitchen ere the opportunity was afforded. Next morning the pinnace and two cutters went ashore to demand the murderers, but met with obstinate resistance from the Indians, who came boldly up to the men and officers in large numbers, brandishing their muskets, firing them in the air, swinging axes around, and showing large knives. They refused to give the men up, and threatened to fire the Fort and to fight the crew of the Clio. When the boats returned an hour after, the ship came closer to the village and opened fire on it, throwing shot and shell amongst the villagers. The Indians took refuge behind the Fort in numbers, but did not fire on it as they had threatened, therefore, according to orders, the marines on the Fort did not fire upon them. After some few rounds the Indians gave in, hauling down four flags which they had defiantly raised, and hoisting a white flag in their place, but though Mr. Compton urged them to give up the three murderers, they refused. The Clio hauled off again to a more suitable berth for the night. We ascertained that a man and his wife were severely contused by the bursting of a shell in one of the houses. I saw a shot strike close to the man who was hoisting the white flag, but he appeared as unconcerned as possible, neither looking to the right nor to the left. Having permission to remain ashore all night, I spent an anxious time, as the Indians were on the alert all night removing their property from their houses and knocking at the Fort gates, endeavoring to induce us to sally out to get the men we wanted, as they said they were in a certain house. No doubt they wanted us as hostages had we been fools enough to have gone out, but the knowledge that they were packing off their valuables was sufficient to show they were prepared to fight on the morrow. They require a salutary lesson not to play with a man-of-war as they boasted they were doing prior to the shell coming amongst them, and saying that they had seen plenty of men-of-war who always threatened them, but none of them ever fired on them yet. They will not forget the Clio, however. It is the firm belief of men who know the Indian character well that a severe lesson—no half measures—but sharp chastisement administered in earnest on one tribe alone will strike a panic among all the others and save the constant excitement and trouble connected with Indian outrages and audacity. Kindness and forbearance they cannot understand. Mr. Compton and Mr. Moss (Indian agent and deputy collector for British Columbia), both used their earnest entreaties to the Indians to submit, and explained the consequences, but only received for answer "that they would wait until the man-of-war should go away when they should have another firing at the Fort." Next morning early three boats, with tars and marines, were landed in charge of the First Lieutenant, with the second and fourth to assist, who required the Indians to do what was demanded of them, and on their flatly refusing, nothing more was said, but to work they went, and in a very few minutes the camp was on fire. The Indians, determined to resist our demands, had buried most of their valuables under ground during the night, inside their houses, and consequently lost most of their winter provisions. After firing a portion of the camp, the demand for the prisoners and the whiskey was reiterated, and as sternly refused, though under the penalty of having the remainder of the houses burnt, and the canoes broken. Half-an-hour was allowed, and on a report being given at its end, the flames of the burning village again ascended. In searching the lodges a good quantity of rum was found and destroyed. The Indians, however, still obstinately refused to give up the remaining two prisoners (I should have mentioned that the other one was given up at an early period of the occurrence, who is supposed to be innocent himself of having perpetrated the murder, though no doubt an accessory. We next came to the destruction of the canoes, a deed which affects deeply the avaricious and miserly heart of the North-West Indians, viewing them as they do as the representatives of so many warm blankets, cans of liquor, &c. Still they stoutly refused to give up the culprits. So we had to single out six or seven prisoners as hostages for the good behavior of the rest, as well as a last chance for them to deliver up the two for whom they had suffered so much; but their obstinacy ruled their judgment, and the Clio left early next morning, having done what was long wanted, and which, if well followed up for some time, will not only render navigation safe, but will allow traders to enter the port for the transact on of business, from which they are now deterred by the hostility of the natives. The force kept at the Fort, though adequate enough should an open attack be made, would be placed at a great disadvantage in the event of a night surprise being attempted. 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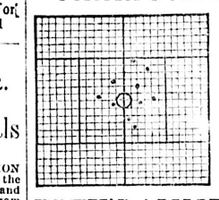

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If in the Joints, Limbs, or Muscles;
If in the Nerves, Teeth, or Ears;

Or in any other part of the body, its application to the pain or parts where the pain exists will afford immediate relief.

IF SEIZED WITH PAIN

In the Stomach, Bowels, or Kidneys;
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In the Teeth, Ears, or Throat;
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One teaspoonful of RADWAY'S READY RELIEF to a wineglass of water will, in a few minutes, restore the patient to ease and comfort.

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If Palsied, Scalded, or Burned;
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If Sun Stroke, or seized with Fits;
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should be applied to the part or parts afflicted. It instantly relieves the patient from pain, and quickly heals, soothes, and strengthens the disabled parts. In all cases of Bites of Rabid Dogs, Reptiles, Stings of Poisonous Insects, the application of RADWAY'S READY RELIEF to the wound will prevent inflammation and mortification.

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Persons exposed to the Malaria of Ague, or if seized with Chills and Fever, will find a positive Antidote and Cure in Radway's Ready Relief. Let two teaspoonsful of the Ready Relief, in a wineglass of water, be taken on getting out of bed in the morning, and however exposed to malaria you will escape.

WHEN SEIZED WITH

CHOLERA, or Diarrhœa, or Flux;
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Bilious Cholic, or Gastritis;
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Influenza, Coughs, or Colds;
Inflammation of the Stomach or Bowels;

RADWAY'S READY RELIEF

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One dose will stop the pain; its continued use will, in a few hours, cure the patient.

HOW IT CURES.

The secondary indication of RADWAY'S READY RELIEF is to cure the patient of the disease or malady that occasions the pain; this it accomplishes rapidly and radically. *Swift* is the patient transformed from pain, misery, weakness, and decrepitude, to the delightful enjoyment of health and strength, that patients frequently ascribe its talismanic power to the supernatural influence of enchantment.

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THERE IS NO OCCASION FOR SICKNESS.

When you first feel pain, then take a teaspoonful of the READY RELIEF, in water; or apply it to the parts where you feel the discomfort.

ALL MALIGNANT DISEASES

first give warning of their presence, and if met promptly before they become securely intrenched within the system, will be readily expelled.

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Headache, Pains in the Limbs—in the Stomach, Bowels, and Kidneys—Cold Chills, and Hot Flushes, Coated Tongue, Burning Skin, Nausea, Shivering, Dullness, Loss of Appetite, Restlessness, Giddiness, &c., &c., are premonitory symptoms of Malignant Disease. One dose of the READY RELIEF is sufficient to break up and expel diseased action, and restore the patient to health.

IN THE ARMY.

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